



General Assembly

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Raised Bill No. 839

LCO No. 2825

Referred to Committee on Higher Education and Employment
Advancement

Introduced by:
(HED)

***AN ACT CONCERNING ATTENDANCE ISSUES AT PRIVATE
OCCUPATIONAL SCHOOLS.***

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General
Assembly convened:

1 Section 1. Subsection (a) of section 10a-22b of the general statutes, is
2 repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective from*
3 *passage*):

4 (a) No person, board, association, partnership, corporation or other
5 entity shall offer occupational instruction unless such person, board,
6 association, partnership, corporation or other entity first receives from
7 the Commissioner of Higher Education a certificate authorizing the
8 occupational instruction to be offered. Except for initial authorizations,
9 the Commissioner of Higher Education shall accept institutional
10 accreditation by an accrediting agency recognized by the United States
11 Department of Education, in satisfaction of the requirements of this
12 section and section 10a-22d, including the evaluation [and attendance]
13 requirement, unless the commissioner finds reasonable cause not to
14 rely upon such accreditation.

This act shall take effect as follows:	
Section 1	<i>from passage</i>

Statement of Purpose:

To require all private occupational schools to take daily attendance.

[Proposed deletions are enclosed in brackets. Proposed additions are indicated by underline, except that when the entire text of a bill or resolution or a section of a bill or resolution is new, it is not underlined.]